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Dear Sir:

In accordance with applicants' duty of disclosure under 37 C.F.R. §1.56, we are enclosing form PTO-1449 listing information that may be material to the patentability of this application.

37 C.F.R. 1.98 does not require a copy of U.S. patents or published U.S. patent applications to be included with an information disclosure statement. Accordingly, Applicant is not including a copy of any U.S. patent or published U.S. patent application.

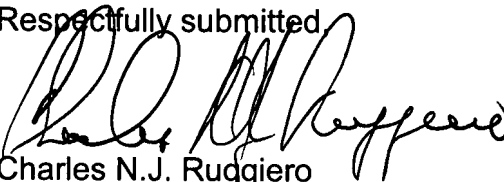
We are also enclosing copies of the non-US references listed on the attached PTO-1449. Copies of available English abstracts of the aforementioned patents, patent applications and articles are enclosed herewith.

It should be understood that attention has been called to the citations that have been deemed to be pertinent to the claimed present invention. In concluding what was pertinent, the criteria employed was considered most appropriate in light of the invention shown in the present application. However, the Examiner or others may deem some other criteria to be just as appropriate or more appropriate. Therefore, the Examiner is respectfully urged to review the listed citations and to make the usual careful independent search for other prior art that may be pertinent.

Since this Information Disclosure Statement is being filed prior to the issuance of the first Office Action based on the merits, no petition or fee is required.

Applicants respectfully request favorable consideration and that this application be passed to allowance.

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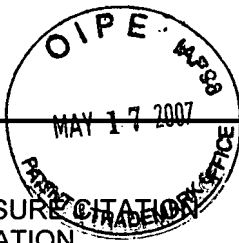
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	2002/0131008	9/19/02	Iwase et al.			
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## FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS

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	WO 00/08899	2/17/00	PCT			X	
	0809420	11/26/97	Europe			X	
	07153571	10/31/95	Japan (abstract only)			X	
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	International Search Report dated November 16, 2004 corresponding to PCT/EP2004/006470.
	International Preliminary Report dated May 11, 2006 corresponding to PCT/EP2004/006470.

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